



One day in the wonderful world of the
Esthetique Posters, a single brave soul approached
our editors with the most horrible news ever.

What
could've
been so
bad as to
render
all of our
editors
totally
incapable?



FROZEN

Was it a
worldwide
shortage of
manga?
Did those
manga
come to
cost?

Oh, no!
It was
something
much more
outrageous.

**STAFF
SHORT-
AGES!**

HELP! PLEASE
OF TRANSLATED
CHAPTERS...

SPREAD THE
NEWS! WE NEED
NEW EDITORS!
AND GO-ERS
START!

If you think you've got what it takes,
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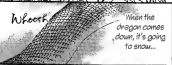
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The
Beginning
of Winter





The leaves are the ones absorbing the first winter cold.



It's cold!



Your game is disturbing...



Am I also cold for the touch?

SLAY





Because
today...

It's natural
that she's
nervous

They're
going off
together...

HOP

HEAVE-
HO

HEAVE-
HO

A PEACEFUL LAKE



Me, over here,
you aren't find a
candle or an
alcohol shop...

Actually, I
didn't know what
was worth watching
around here...

What
now?

He...
sorry...



So
much
the
better!

Cry!

Cry!

But you know,
I love coming
here.



In addition, if
we want to go
to a park or a
shop, we might
risk meeting
people...



But such a
peaceful lake
is not the ideal
place...



Really?

They say the lake is connected to the North and that it is the dragon, guardian of the lake, who's bringing us the cold weather.



Tell me...

What?



Oh, really...

Yes, maybe very early!

That's good! It's nearly cold!

And so the others are still at home then?

How many brothers do you have?

Five.







It doesn't matter

Where do you want to go?

...Here...

That will never do!"

It's starting to get cold...



And what about going home?





Thank
you for
today

I had
lots of
fun

Be
careful,
they're
hungry

See

Is it forbidden
to ask you to love me?

..Well..





Are they
sitting back-
in-hind?

What are
they doing
now?

Where
are they?

See there a lot
about showing
things that that,
don't you?

Mmmmm

ROLL





So, did your
date go well?



But
what...





...Yes.

I didn't mean to ask her that!

Idiot!



...Yes.

It isn't well?

It isn't.

Yes? What does he mean by "yes," huh?

Am I spoke up without



...But...

It isn't so much!

It isn't!



I don't know...



...What I should
tell her and
where I should
take her...



and I feel
nervous...



...I don't
know what
would please
Doremi



So I wonder
if she's happy
when she's
with me





No,
don't say
that!

I'm not good
at expressing
myself...



I'm cheerful
when I
speak with
you.

When I'm
with you, Shou,
I feel so
comfortable!



...I can
feel naturally
with you...



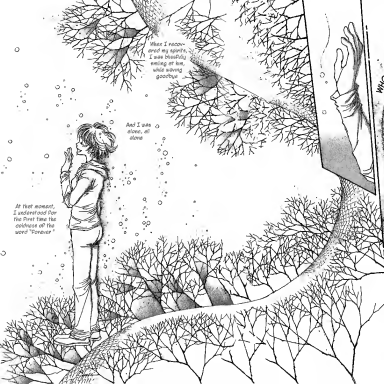
Because
we're only
friends.

Ah?

All I
see over
there

Good-
bye,
then

No! Don't smile at him!



When I recovered
my spirit,
I was blissfully
smiling at her,
while saying
goodbye.

And I was
alone, all
alone.

At that moment,
I understood for
the first time the
oddness of the
word "Forever."

WHOOSH



Yes.

Good-
bye...

No...

Don't
say
good-
bye to
me!



By suppressing what I had to tell him...

I've become his flower!
"Forever"

